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MATTERS AT OLD FORGE.

A Breezy Batch of Locallettes from a Live Correspondent. Special to the Scranton Tribune.
OLD FORGE, Pa., Feb. 12 — Wallace

Ormston made a trip to the Electric Richard Joyce is visiting friends in

Wilkes-Barre. Jacob Krouse, of Scranton, always a welcome visitor, has been spending three days with us, making the Acehotel, Sibley, conducted by John Ric-oby, his home. He says that though times are slack he has no reason to complain, as people will buy his watches and jewelry. Having been so many years on the road he is known

William Surpolas is a very genial gentleman, and will attract many others besides his own countrymen to his house, the Sweetville inn, Barbertown. He has an excellent acquaintance with the English language, and has become thoroughly Americanized. J. D. Williams, in his way, is a philanthropist, he has started what is most unique in this valley, a temperance house, at Rendham, where from 7 a.m. to 9 p. m. anyone can get a good meal at a moderate price. He deserves to be mentioned for his pluck and forsight,

praiseworthy venture.

The Pennsylvania Coal mines have shut down until further orders. Many Old Forge residents are employed there, and this, we are sorry to say, adds to the distress that is already too

and he, with his worthy and estimable

The snow came in earnest just be-fore noon, and at this time of writing it is deep enough for good sleighing. New features and improvements for the reception of his guests are made by C. J. Fallon, Old Forge Hotel, and none who go there will return disappointed. Liberal, generous and courteous, he will enhance his already good reputation and and public standing. Robert Trotter, of Jermyn, won the

three mains at the Sibley, stakes \$75; one of our well-nown young men, Willie Ray, landed \$25 on the event by betting on the right side. With the exception of P. Jenkins, these gentlemen are prepared to make a match with any one in Lackawanna county for \$75 or \$100, and fight either five or

Mrs Morgan J. Harris, of Taylor, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas, at

WERE THIRSTY ROBBERS.

Unknown Thisves Stours Whiskey Stored in a D, and H, Station.

Special to the Scranton Tribune. The Ontario and Western ticket and freight offices were broken into Sunday night, A case containing whiskey was opened and a few bottles taken. A number of boxes and packages were examined, but nothing else seems to be

There is no clue to the robbers.

MRS. M. SCHAENBERGER, Beaver Dam, Wis., writes: "We have used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in our family for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Rheumatism. It cures every time."

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# THE NEWS OF

[Out of town correspondents of THE THIS-UNE should sign their names in full to each new letter, not for publication out to guard against deception.]

FROM BUSY JERMYN. General News Notes Gathered by an

Enterprising Reporter.

JERMYN, Pa., Feb. 12 —A musicale in aid of the Christian Endeavor chapel at Simpson will be held at the resi-dence of J. D. Stocker Friday evening. The town council are still grappling with the hydrant question. A special meeting will be held tomorrow evening to consider the matter. In the end we shall have to pay the Jermyn Water company's bill,

By his courteons ways and quiet demeanor J. F. Nichotson, Republican candidate for burgess, is making friends and votes. His election to the chief ffice of the borough is certain.

The suit of Thomas Rich against the Delaware and Huison Canal company will be called for trial April 2. Ten persons were baptized on Saturday evening, and were received into the First Baptist church on Sanday H. P. Woodward, of the Green Ridge

Monitor, called on Jermya friends yes

terday. Should G. A. Grow speak in Scranton between now and election day he would be sure of a large number of hearers from this place. The old soldiers have not forgotten the address delivered here at the time of the seven county reunion, and it will be a plea-sure for them to vote for one who will ppose the policy of the present administration, which seems to be against any man who fought for his country. Truly, the south is in the saddle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Shepherd and Mr. and Mrs. John Mellou, jr., spent Sunday in Scranton.

Next Thursday evening a tea will be given at the residence of W. O. Hills. The proceeds will be for the Ladies' Home Missionary society.

Archbishop Coxe, of Nanticoke, delivered a very impressive sermon in

C. J. Metzgar and L. Lindley, of Scranton; C. J. Payne, of Pieasant Mount, and T. V. Powderly, jr., of Carbondale, circulated among Jermyn business houses yesterday.

St. James' Episcopal church last even

Rushbrook lodge, 850, I. O. O. F., is growing very fast. In January ten wers initiated and nine have been received this month. The degree teams are doing fine word.

A regular meeting of the D. and H. Keg Fund association was held Saturday evening. Orders were drawn in favor of a number of the sick members and other business transacted. This association is doing much good, being very strong financially; much interest is taken by the members. William H Lutey is the secretary and George Pendred president.

The Citizen's band talk of buying the Salvation Army barracks on Second street. The property is to be sold to satisfy the claims of numerous cred-

The Jermyn Press is informed that a things in Misses' and Children's be made this summer to utilize the coffin factory building for some other in-A factory would be a blessing to our town and however small would be helped financially, but with seventy per cent, of the mills and factories in this country closed, 2,000,005 people

depending of them out of work, free trade stareing us in the face it does not look very encouraging.

John Roberts, of Third street, who has been very ill, being unconscious for a number of dws, is improving

H. A. Willman has been appointed executer of the estate of the late Joseph Lepp.
A disgraceful fight took place near

the Delaware and Hudson depot Saturday night, several of the participants being badly used up. All Free.

Those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery know its value, and those who have not, have now the opportunity to try it Free. Call on the advertised Druggist and get a Trial Bottle, Free. Send your name and address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, Free, as well as a copy of Guide to Health and Hou-chold Instructor, Free. All of which is guaranteed to do you good and cost you nothing. Matthews Bros. Drugstore.

FRESH FROM FOREST CITY.

Topics of the Town Entertainingly Reported by a Wide-awake Writer. Special to the Seconton Tribune, FOREST CITY, Pa., Feb. 12 -Valenwife, should meet with success in this

tine Day Wedneslay. The positical pot is so cool that we have excellent sleighing.

La grippe has got tis grip on a num-ber of Forest City people, Next legal holiday, Washington's birthday, a week from Thursday. Gard & Bell, blacksmiths, have placed into position a neat and artis tically painted sign on the side of their

Miss Anna Rennsalaer and Mrs. Abrahame, of Scranton, have been epending the past few days pleasantly at the home of John McLaughlin, The Hillside colliery will be idle until Thursday and many of the boys

employed in the breaker and mine are improving the opportunity by attend ing school.

John Laruski, a Polander resident of Forast City, died in the Carbondale hospital Thursday. Mrs. Dr. C. E. Taylor had the misfortune Saturday while mixing a prep

aration in which alcohol was used, to be quite severely burned about the seck and hands. Miss Minnie Cowles, of Carbondale,

is the guest of her aunts, Mrs. H Box and Mrs. T. J. Maxey. W. T. Davies has added a stock of

confectionery goods to his shoe trade.

Z. C. Beil, of Carbondale, was in town Saturday with his fast trotter. John E. Free, formerly of this place, out for the past few months has had charge of placing into position a large electric plant for Simpson & Watkins, at Wyoming, visited friends in this

place Sunday, Rev. G. A. Cure, of the Asbury M. E. church, Scranton, preached two very able sermous in the M. E. church at this place yesterday. John Cunuingham and Frank Cun-ningham, jr., spent a few pleasant hours in Herrick Saturday.

F. J. Osgood is circulating among New York state friends this week. John Simpson, of Carbondale, enjoyed a ride to this place yesterday over the "beautiful snow."

One of Forest City's prominent busi-ness men, who has been married but a short time, was seen busily engaged Saturday evening in the back part of his store room sewing carpet rage. Good for A-

Miss Celia Lanning spent Sunday in Susquehanna. THE TRIBUNE leads in this place.

The Hillside Coal and Iron company will pay their employes their monthly

wages tomorrow.
The Scranton Republican correspondent for this place states in today's items that you should subscribe for the Republican for the latest news. As said very truthfully, the Republican readers are aware of the fact that it is late news—so late that it is nearly stale. The Tribure has the largest circulation of any daily paper which comes to town, and if you wish to learn of the events which are happening daily in Forest City, subscribe for THE TRIBUNE.

PRICEBURG POINTS.

An Error Corrected-A Sluggish Board of Health-Personal N tes. Special to the Scranton Tribuna

PRICEBURG, Pa., Feb. 12.—In justice our borough and also to its dispenser of law, we would like to correct a state-ment that appeared in THE TRIBUNE of last Saturday. The article referred to is the boy Frank Pavolosky being committed to the county jail by Justice of the Peace Lloyd, of Priceburg. Now he facts are, there is no justice named Lloyd in Priceburg, Our squire's name is Logan and anybody not reading the article throughout would perhaps be onfounded in the names of the two gentlemen and read Logan instead of loyd, thinking it was a misprint. Our ustice would most likely discharge the

John Gilgallon, whom we are happy o report as having entirely recovered rom his recent serious illness, was the welcome guest of his parents in Scranton on Sunday.

An old country tea party will be sell at the home of W. W. Williams, of Main street, on Monday, Feb. 19. P. F. Knight, a young and progres ive business man of Providence, called on friends hers hast Saturday.

Miss Nellie McCall, of Honesdale, is

visiting friends in town. E. T. Merriam, T. M. Early and D. H. Williams, of Scranton, registered at the C ntral on Saturday.

This is an age of progress and every atriotic citizen ought to do something towards the welfare of the country. Although Priceburg may be behind in some things, we are right in it when it omes to increasing the population. For our size there is no town in the county can toe the mark with us in this respect. The following tells the story Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dr. J. J. Bil-heimer, on Friday, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Murphy, of Main street, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Smith, a boy. There has also been an increase in the family of Mr. Samuel Norris. How is that for progressiveness

The electric cars are all blockaded up this section. Pay day at Storr's mines tomorrow,

uesday. A large retriever dog was killed by the electric cars opposits Jermyn's store on Friday last, and to the credit of the board of health, if any such board exists in the borough, the carcass remained on our Main street until Monday afternoon, when it was removed. It is time our high constable woke up.

PICKED A PECKVILLE.

Numerous Items from a Live Town Tersely Prepared. Special to the Scranton Tribu

PECKVILLE, Pa., Feb. 12 -Mr. and | Choice Timothy and Mrs. John Whitie and children are visiting the former's parents at Hazle-

Our newly organized Cornet band rade their first appearance in public last Friday evening and serenaded some of our business places rendering

C. S. Doud has purchased the Hol-omb property on Hickory street. Miss Maggie Davies, of Forest City, ent Sunday with friends in town,

Mrs. B. T. Reese and daughter Bessie are visiting friends in Oneonta. Richard Protheroe, of Hyde Park, visited with Mr. and Mrs. William

Grisedale yesterday.

Our genial druggist, W. W. Watkins, is the first to make a start to have the lectric wires put into his drug store to be lighted up with electricity.

W. J. Dikeman, of Hickory street, and Miss Annie Howells, of the Ridge

Road, were married yesterday morning. after which they left to spend a few days with friends in New York City. The Ladies' Aid society, which was to meet next Wednesday, has been ostponed until the 21st inst.
Miss Mina Finch, who has been visitng with friends at Belmonte, returned nome last Saturday.

Where the Line Is Drawn. Washington Star.
"Are you still working for the dry goods
rm;" asked one very young man of an-

"No. I am not working for them. I am now in their employ. My salary has been raised from \$7 a week to \$10."

A Joke that Never Dies. Chicago Inter-Orean.

"Yes, he's a good man; but I saw him stoop to a very small thing at the church social."

"Fish an oyster out of his soup."

Has Faith in the Method. Syracuse Journal.

Mrs. Chatter—Do you believe that curecan be effected by laying on of the hands? Mrs. Clatter-Most certainly. I cured ny boy of smoking in just that way.

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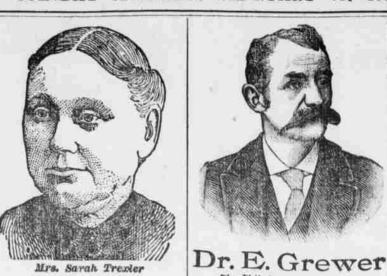
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There Was No Hope Of ever finding anything to help me. One day a friend asked, 'Why don't you try Hood's Sarsaparilla? I thought it over and decided to try it, and I thank God for it too. Since I began tak-ing it, three years ago, I have had but one 'bad spell' and that was due to carelessness on my part, and from that I quickly recovered. I can-not tell you how much better I feel and how thankful I am. I feel as it I would like to tell every person in the world about it. I can and do now do all my housework, even to washing." Mrs. Sarah Trexler, 803 Latimer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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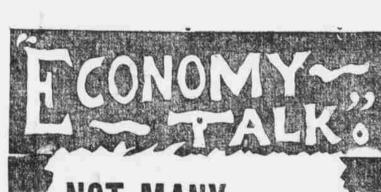
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